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VAL		Exhibit A - Four color photos of a Telect, Inc. assembly (Date: known to Applicants as of May 2001).
KAL		Exhibit B - "PXPLUS™ DS1 DIGITAL SIGNAL CROSS-CONNECT," ADC Telecommunications, Inc., 12 pages, (Copyright 1997).



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